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Statement of the Condition of the
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On the 31st day of December, A. D., 1873,

Assets.	Par Value.	Market Value.
R'l Estate unincumb'd............		$405,009
Loaned on Bond & Mortgage......		21,311.
Loaned on Collaterals,............		87,447.70
Cash on hand & in Bank,..........		593,690.60
Cash in the hand of Agents and in transit,......................		621,292.66
U. S. Stocks 5-20's,............	300,000	343,035.
U. S. Currency Bonds,...........	100,000	114,000.
Connecticut State Stock,.........	52,500	52,500
Rhode Island "	40,000	40,000
Indiana "	50,000	50,0 0
Michigan "	10,000	10,000
Tennessee "	31,000	25,000
Alabama "	10,000	7,50
South Carolina "	20,000	10,000
Canada Dominion Stock,...........	5,070 69	5,070 69
Buffalo City Water Bonds,.........	25,000	24,500
Atlantic Dock Bonds,..............	25,000	23,750
Toledo City Bonds,................	5,000	5,000
New Brunswick,(N.J.)City Bonds,...	20,000	19,600
Detroit City Bonds,...............	30,000	30,000
Brooklyn City Water Bonds,........	25,000	23,250
Jersey City Water Bondst..........	50,000	46,000
Hartford City Bonds,..............	101,000	98,980
Hartford City Scrip,..............	6,000	6,000
Hartford Town Bonds,..............	65,000	63,000
New York City Stock,..............	75,000	71,000
Minneapolis City Bonds,...........	6,000	6,000
Chicago City Bonds,...............	35,000	34,000
West Middle School District Bonds, Hartford,........................	30,000	30,000
Hartford County Scrip,............	10,000	10,000
Hartford, P & F R R Mort'ge Bonds,	33,000	31,020
Michigan Central " 2nd " ...	15,000	13,800
Clev'ld, Painsville & Ashtabull R R Mortgage Bonds,............	100,000	100,000
Cleveland & Toledo R R Gen. S. F. Mortgage Bonds...............	75,000	77,250
Cleveland & Pittsburgh R R Third Mortgage Bonds,...............	40,000	40,000
Michigan S & N Indiana R R General Mortgage Bonds..............	25,000	25,500
Michigan S & N Indiana R R Second Mortgage Bonds,..............	75,000	70,875
Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago R R First Mortgage Bonds..........	30,000	31,600
Pittsburgh, Ft. Wayne & Chicago R R Second Mortgage Bonds.........	50,000	50,500
Buffalo, New York & Erie R R Mortgage Bonds,................	75,000	71,250
N Y Central R R Mortgage Bonds....	75,000	67,500
Little Miami " " ...	72,000	63,360
N Jersey R R & Transportation Co., Mortgage Bonds,................	50,000	47,500
Colum. & Zenia R R Mort'ge Bonds..	50,000	49,500
Cin. Hamilton & Dayton R R Mortgage Bonds,....................	50,000	48,500
Ind'a'plis & Cin. R R Mort'ge Bonds.	25,000	23,450
Chicago Burlington & Quincy R R Mortgage Bonds,................	30,000	33,000
DesMoines Valley RR Mort'ge Bonds.	40,000	30,000
Lake Shore R R "	40,000	30,000
Morris & Essex R R 2nd "	10,000	9,250
Harlem River & Port Chester R R First Mortgage Bonds..........	25,000	25,000
N Y Central & Hudson River R R First Mortgage Bonds..........	100,000	106,000
Joliet & Chicago R R Mort'ge Bonds.	25,000	26,250
Dayton & Western R R "	18,000	18,720
Albany & Susquehanda R R Second Mortgage Bonds.................	10,000	9,600
1000 Shares N Y, New Haven & Hartford Railroad Co. Stock........	100,000	122,000
159 Shares Con. River RR Co Stock.	15,000	26,259
900 " Lake Shore & Mich. So. Railroad Co	90,000	68,050
750 Shares Pittsburgh, Ft. W. & Chicago R R Co. Stock...........	75,000	67,125
624 Shares Mich. Central R R Stock.	62,400	48,048
111 " Central Ohio R R Co. "	7,240	4,000
1:00 " Morris & Essex " " "	60,000	45,600
250 " Dubuque & Sioux City R R Co. Stock........................	25,000	15,000
10 shs. Joliet & Chic. RR Co. Stock.	10,000	8,500
500 " Albany & Susq'na R R Co. "	50,000	43,000
100 " Cleveland & Pittsb'g " " "	50,000	42,500
600 " N Y Cent. & Hud. R. " " "	60,000	59,400
50 " Conn River Company "	5,000	1,500
100 " New Britain Nat. Bank "	10,000	13,000
200 " Nat. Bank of the State of Missouri Stock......................	20,000	15,000
50 Shares Merch. Nat. Bank Stock..	5,000	4,000
50 " Merchants Bank " ...	5,000	1,400
200" Mechanics Bank " ...	20,000	18,000
220" Farmers & Mechanics National Bank Stock.....................	22,000	23,000
800 Shares Hartford Nat. Bank Stock.	80,000	124,000
600 " Farmers & Mech. Nat. Bank "	60,000	78,000
600 " Phoenix National Bank "	60,000	93,000
250 " State Bank "	25,000	27,000
150 " Conn. River Banking Co. "	7,500	9,000
200 " Ætna National Bank "	20,000	25,000
200 " American National Bank "	10,000	12,000
200 " City National Bank "	20,000	21,000
153 " First National Bank "	15,000	21,320
303 " Charter Oak National Bank "	30,000	39,089
600 " National Exchange Bank "	25,000	31,000
400 " American Ex. Nat. Bank "	40,000	43,200
800 " Nat. Butch'r & Drovers Bank "	20,000	28,000
100 " Hanover National Bank "	10,000	10,500
100 " National City Bank "	10,000	24,000
500 " National Bank of Commerce "	50,000	55,000
100 " Nat. Bank of the Conn'wealth "	10,000	1,000
300 " Importers & Traders Nat. Bk. "	30,000	62,500
200 " Market National Bank "	20,000	24,000
1200" Mechanics National Bank "	30,000	39,000
200 " Merchants Exch. Nat. Bank "	10,000	9,000
500 " Metropolitan Nat. Bank "	50,000	62,500
400 " Bank of the Manhattan Co. "	20,000	30,000
200 " Nassau Bank "	20,000	20,000
200 " North River Bank "	10,000	9,600
400 " Bank of New York (National) "	40,000	46,000
200 " National Bank of N. America "	20,000	20,000
200 " Nat. Bank of the Republic "	20,000	20,200
400 " Ocean National Bank "	25,000	1,000
400 " Peoples Bank "	10,000	15,000
500 " Phenix National Bank "	10,000	10,600
400 " Union National Bank "	20,000	26,000
150 " N Y Life Ins. & Trust Co. "	15,000	45,000
100 " Union Trust Co. "	10,000	10,000
Accrued Interest,..................		
Total Assets of the Company.....		$5,735,925.79
Liabilities,......................		214,876.65
Net Assets..........		$5,521,049.14

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Orient Insurance Company,
HARTFORD, CONN.
STATEMENT OF CONDITION JAN. 1st, 1874.
CASH CAPITAL, $350,000.00.

ASSETS.		
Cash on hand and in Bank,	$38,253.87	
Cash in hand of Agents,	41,649.48	79,903.35
Loans on Mortgage, 1st liens,	171,820.00	
Loans secured by pledge of Stocks and Bonds,	127,720.29	
Interest Accrued,	12,223.36	311,763.65
200 Shares American National Bank Stock, Hartford,	12,000.00	
100 Ætna Nat. Bk. Stock, Hartf'd,	12,300.00	
100 " Charter Oak National Bank Stock, Hartford,	12,500.00	
100 " Farmers & Mechanics Nat'l Bank Stock, Hartford,	12,800.00	
150 " Hartford Nat'l Bank Stock, Hartford,	23,400.00	
35 shares City Nat'l Bank Stock, Hartford,	3,675.00	
100 shares Mercantile Nat'l Bank Stock, Hartford,	12,000.00	
50 shares Phenix National Bank Stock, Hartford,	7,550.00	
48 shares First Nat. Bank Stock, Hartford,	6,624.00	
16 shares National Exchange Nat'l Bank Stock, Hartford,	960.00	
100 shares Metropolitan Nat. Bank Stock, New York,	12,500.00	116,309.00
237 shares Mich. Centr'l RR Stock,	18,367.50	
200 " Lake Shore & Mich. South'n Railroad Stock,	15,000.00	
100 shares Albany & Susquehanna Railroad Stock,	9,000.00	
400 shares Cleveland & Pittsburgh Railroad Stock,	17,200.00	
317 " N. Y., N. H. & Hartford Railroad Stock,	42,831.00	102,401.50
10 Bonds Indiana Cent'l RR Co.	10,000.00	
11 " Indianapolis & Cincinnati Railroad Co., 1858,	9,300.00	
20 Bonds Hartford, Providence & Fishkill Railroad Co.,	19,000.00	
10 Bonds West Middle School District, Hartford, Ct.,	10,000.00	48,000.00
Total Cash Assets,		$659,277.60
LIABILITIES.		
Outstanding Losses,		$25,630.55
Net Cash Assets,		1630,546.05

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Newport Daily News.
WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 25, 1874.

LOGIC.
"He who would thrive must rise at five."

So says the proverb, though there is more rhyme than reason in it, for if

He who would thrive must rise at five,

it must follow naturally,

He who'd thrive more must rise at four;

and it will insure as a consequence that

He who'd still more thriving be
Must leave his bed at turn of three;
And who this latter would outdo,
Will rouse him at the stroke of two.

And by way of climax to it all, it should be held good that

He who'd never be outdone,
Must ever rise as soon as one,

But the best illustration would be

He who'd flourish best of all
Should never go to bed at all.

SCIENTIFIC NOTES.

Four hundred vibrations a minute is as much as a bee's wing can do.

It is now the practice of some silk manufacturers to weight their silks with a solution of lead acetate, by which means poisonous properties are imparted to the silks, as well as an increase in weight.

An instrument for observing the altitude of the sun has recently been found under a stone near the harbor of Valentia, Ireland, which is supposed to have belonged to one of the two ships of the Spanish armada wrecked near that spot. When discovered it was enclosed in a case, which on being touched fell to pieces. The graduations were very carefully and accurately made, but there was no maker's name or date. The instrument was of a most primitive kind, being intended to be suspended from the observer's thumb while he made the observation, and no such instruments have been used for the last 250 years or more.

Bessemer steel rails are now manufactured by eight establishments in the United States, producing 150,000 tons annually, which will soon be increased to 200,000 tons. The first Bessemer rail was rolled at the Victoria iron works, England, and laid on the Midland Railway at Derby, where traffic was heaviest, early in 1857. This rail lasted until June 6, 1873, having lived sixteen years and carried a total traffic in that time of probably 1,252,000 trains and 1,252,000 detached engines and tenders. It is claimed that an iron rail would probably have lasted not more than six months in that place, so that the steel rail was equivalent to thirty two iron ones.

It is not a mammoth cave this time, but a collection of bones and pipe heads, that tells of pre-historic man. A Virginia paper tells the story that some workmen, while engaged in making excavations on a river bank, about a mile from Weldon, discovered a vast heap of skeletons, packed closely together. The skulls, it is said, were nearly an inch in thickness. The fact suggests the thought that the workmen had come across a congressional cemetery. At any rate, the mere supposition that the original owners of these solid crania were eight or nine feet high scarcely warrants the deduction that the bones are relics of "a lost and forgotten race," as the Virginia paper boldly announces.

At a whist party in Ohio recently a dealer found his hand to consist of the whole thirteen trumps. It has been calculated that if the entire population of the earth, taken at one thousand millions of persons, were to deal the cards incessantly day and night for one hundred millions of years, at the rate of a deal by each person a minute, they would not have exhausted the one hundred thousandth part of the number of the essentially different ways in which the cards can be distributed. The odds against the dealer holding thirteen trumps may be taken in round figures at one hundred and fifty nine thousand millions to one.

Some one has sent to the Atlantic Monthly the following *exposé*: "Lightly she lifts the large, pure, luminous shell, and poises it in her strong, shapely hand. 'Listen!' she says, 'it has a tale to tell, spoken in language you may understand.' Smiling she holds it to my dreaming ear; the old, delicious murmur of the sea steals like enchantment through me, and I hear voices like echoes of eterni Let her poise. She may also lift the co oluted univalve in a strong and shapel and, and her biceps may swell out like a skuelon. But the antique swindle touching the 'old, delicious murmur of the sea' is a humbug. For, reader, if you will hold a b er hat or a goblet or a pickle bottle to your ear you will hear the same delicious murmur."

SLAB AND STONE DRAINS.

A walk into the meadow revealed the fact that an under drain had become choked up, and the water was finding its way to the surface. The job of digging it up looked uninviting in the extreme. But the vision of water grasses generally, and of bulrushes in particular and in abundance, nerved me to the task. A half day's work opened up the difficulty and the water passed off again under the surface. The mischief of choking the drain was laid to the mice, but an examination we found the slabs had settled into the soil, so that the water could not pass along.

The drain at this particular place was made of hemlock slabs placed back to back, leaving an open space between the lower edges. Stones were placed between the bank and the slabs to hold them in place. Green brush from pasture hemlocks was liberally thrown in, and the whole covered with soil. For ten years they have proved all right. The slabs were taken out but no signs of decay appeared. They were returned to their old place in the ditch, and I hope they will not behave badly for another ten years.

Just above this was a short drain, that was made differently. Small logs or large poles were placed on either side of the trench, and slabs placed upon these, leaving a space for the water between the sticks or poles. These slabs were utterly rotten and had caved in. I presume the water did not come in contact with the slabs all of the time, and they became partially dry during the dry season.

My stone drains, made in the Scotch style, never fail. I have over three hundred rods in all, and wish I had five hundred more. It is a pleasure to see the cold water pouring from them, when the plough is turning a light, mellow soil above them.—[Cor. Mirror and Farmer.

Very good as far as the writer goes, but in our opinion he does not go far enough. He is highly pleased, as he ought to be, with the working of the stone drains, but it should be remembered that in many instances stone drains cost much more to make than tile drains, which are as effectual and durable, if the work be properly done.

The experience of the writer quoted, with his wooden drains, in spite of his "hope that they will not behave badly for another ten years," is not very encouraging, for, as he says, "the job of digging up looked uninviting in the extreme."

Now, as he does not know the condition of his wooden drains out of sight (for he only saw the choked one he had to dig to get at, and that could not give a very favorable impression), how can he tell how many may soon be in the same condition. He will find, as a general rule, that tiles of good quality, well laid, are the best and cheapest. We print the above merely to show what may be expected from wooden drains. As it costs no more to dig drains for one kind of material than another, it is best to do the work thoroughly at first, and then an early soil and fine tilth, so far as drainage is concerned, may be seen for an age. [N. Y. Pen and Plow.

FEEDING HAY WITH MILK TO CALVES.—A correspondent, in his visit among the farmers, mentions one who tried an experiment in raising calves the present season which may be of interest. Most of these calves, the older ones, after the grass afforded a good bite, were turned into a field and fed milk. Some six of the youngest were kept in the barn through the Summer, and fed hay in addition to milk. At the time of his visit (Sept. 1) those in the barn were decidedly the best.

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THE DAY.

The meanest man has been outdone by a highly moral association in New York. The Grand Duke Opera House is a little establishment in New York where the gamins and bootblacks have miniature plays evenings. This amateur affair has recently presented to the poor fifty six dollars, being the proceeds of several nights entertainments. The Society for the Reformation of Juvenile Delinquents, which has an interest in the money license of theatrical entertainments, has demanded the five hundred dollars license fee of a theater from this concern, which was comparatively unknown till its recent benevolence. If this is a specimen of the work of the society it is too mean to reform any juvenile delinquents.

The proposition to have an intercollegiate intellectual contest in connection with the annual regatta suggests the resurrection of the Olympic games. The annual gathering of college students for competition in rowing, ball playing, cratory, poetry and logic bears a remarkable resemblance to the quadrennial affairs which characterized Greece more than two thousand years ago.

Colonel Higginson writes to the Boston Advertiser to correct a report that the advocated Saratoga was a suitable place for the inter-collegiate literary contest. He adds: "I am glad to take this opportunity of adding that the whole character of the convention, in respect to numbers, earnestness and unanimity, was far beyond my expectations. There was, of course, a good deal of solicitude about the microscopic points of parliamentary law. It would hardly have seemed a veritable convention of undergraduates without this. But the general tone of the meeting was essentially generous, modest and manly, and the plan of action finally adopted seems to me altogether creditable and judicious."

Admiral Porter has sent to the Secretary of the Navy his report. He opens by urging the necessity of increased facilities on our men-of-war for saving life. As no vessel can carry boats enough for the rescue of her whole crew he advocates the use of life rafts and a rule requiring commanders of ships to exercise their crews once a month in the use of the rafts. He complains that all our vessels are short of men at least fifteen per cent. He proposes to remedy this by an apprentice system and thinks the government should give every recruit his outfit. He compares the salaries of English and American naval officers and urges that the allowances of the latter be increased on account of the expensiveness of the necessary interchange of hospitalities with foreign officers.

The admiral devotes considerable space to the subject of torpedoes. He speaks well of the Torpedo Station at this place, but thinks its facilities are inadequate. It ought to have four large steam launches and other apparatus for instruction in the practical operation of torpedoes. In a supplementary report he describes the condition of the monitors and recommends that six of them be at once repaired at probable cost of $120,000 each.

PERSONALS.

......Elder Knapp, the Baptist revivalist, is ill with pulmonary consumption at his home in Rockford, Illinois.

......The Hon. William M. Evarts is to furnish a portrait of Roger Sherman, his grandfather, for Independence Hall, Philadelphia.

......No wonder the flags droop this year on Washington's birthday. When Butler's birthday is substituted, bunting will be firmer.—[Boston Transcript.

......The New York Evening Post thinks that Lord Derby can scarcely be called a Conservative; he is rather the hyphen which joins the two great parties of England.

......Zach Chandler has said a sensible thing. He has declared that "inflation was the greatest curse Senators could inflict on the nation or their constituents."

......The Historical Society at Philadelphia has been presented with an old sword of Benjamin Franklin, and also a set of curious china, which was presented to Franklin when the latter was at the French court.

......Talleyrand's sarcastic brevity is adduced as an example of brief epistles—He wrote to a lady whose husband had died suddenly, "Ah! Madame"; and then, on hearing of her wedding soon after, he wrote, "Oh, Madame!"

......Mark Twain says he thinks he was very successful in the object of his recent visit to England, which was "to teach the people good morals, and to introduce some of the improvements of the present century."

......Constant Mayer is at work upon a portrait of General Phil Sheridan, which promises to be a fine pictorial synopsis of that remarkable hero's character. Several sittings have been had and the work is nearly completed.

......Poor Boys. Butler, holding millions of dollars' worth of property; Jayne, with hundreds of thousands in his possession, and the "poor boy" Simmons counting as much for himself, excite general commiseration on acount of their pecuniary destitution. Pass around the hat.—[Boston Post.

......Judge Hastings of San Francisco and ex-Minister De Long have cruelly ruined the story of that valuable spiritual communication through Foster, the medium, which recovered a previously unheard-of inheritance of Mrs. De Long. It seems that the land transaction was well-known by the judge, that the possessor of the land never controverted the claim of Mrs. De Long, but that in fact the conveyance of the property to her and the other heirs was made at this possessor's special instance. Thus do all our authentic footfalls from the boundary of another world fade into fiction.

......The presiding bishop of the American Episcopal Church, Right Rev. Benjamin Bosworth Smith, D. D., was born June 13, 1794, in Bristol, R. I., and is now in his eightieth year. He has been bishop of Kentucky forty-two years—since 1832—and he has lately taken his residence at Hoboken, where he can readily attend to the duties belonging to him as presiding bishop. He is an interesting man, clear headed, decided, kindly and earnest with a large amount of good common sense. He is a humble-minded man, and with the moderate salary, his plain living, devout spirit and republican feeling, he is a wholesome example of primitive apostolic simplicity. He preaches without notes, and favors directness and fervor in the clergy, and he has no sympathy with the new ritualism although he contends strongly for the apostolic succession.

NEWS ITEMS.

The Kansas legislature is discussing a proposed prohibitory liquor law.

A Wisconsin legislator wants railroad passengers weighed and charged accordingly.

One of the Tory party cries during the recent election in England was, "A national church and a national beverage."

Plain square talk with officials is now the order of the day in the best Republican newspapers.

At the last accounts from Minnesota the residents were enjoying their eighty-fourth day of sleighing.

All penalties collected under the Illinois compulsory education law are to go for the use of the school district where the offence was committed.

An aerolite of twelve pounds weight recently fell in the vicinity of Marysville, Cal., which was so hot it could not be handled for some time. It came through the tree tops with a bright flash, and was found buried eight feet in the ground.

Since others have been talking about the next Presidency, the Springfield Republican presents a ticket. It is: For President—Charles Francis Adams, of Massachusetts. For Vice President—Newton Booth, of California.

The people of Cincinnati are justly proud of their new public library building. The structure is noticeable as an unique example of an edifice which has not exceeded the original estimates of its cost.

The movement for a railroad bridge over the Penobscot river, below Bangor, has failed. The legislature gave the petitioners leave to withdraw, and so Bangor rejoices.

It is said in London that on the assembling of Parliament it will be immediately prorogued until the 12th of March, so that members who have accepted office under Disraeli may have an opportunity to go before their constituents for re-election. It is also said that the queen's speech will not be read until Parliament reassembles.

The temperance question is the only subject that makes any interest in the New Hampshire campaign. John F. Coles, of Boston, and Francis Murphy, of Portland, Me., are speaking through the state for prohibition, and E. C. Bailey and Samuel B. Paige, of Concord, in advocacy of a license law.

A dispatch to the London Times from Calcutta says there are 280,000 persons distressed from want of food in the districts of Tirhut and Boglipoor, presidency of Bengal. The same dispatch says it is estimated that but for the aid furnished by the government 500,000 persons would perish.

A neat swindle was perpetrated last week in Philadelphia. A lady having lost her watch offered through the papers a liberal reward for its recovery; in the same paper a "watch found" was advertised. Early in the morning a man called on the loser and, announcing that he had found a watch, obtained of her a full description of her property. Then saying that it did not correspond with the one in his possession, he left, and, going straightway to the other advertiser, described the lost watch and obtained it a few moments before the real owner arrived.

A Paris letter states that proceedings have been commenced against the only negro in the French Assembly, M. Melvil Bloncourt, who proves to have been the deputy of Cluseret, the war minister of the horrible commune. Documents with his signature prove his crimes under the commune. He is the delegate for Guadaloupe. He will probably flee to London before the Assembly reach a vote on allowing him to be arrested, as the law does not allow members to be arrested without the consent of the corps legislatif.

The state of Minnesota is one immense railroad cemetery. Her new state reports show that her 1750 miles operated last year didn't earn enough to meet the interest on the funded debt and the running expenses, into $3,840,000. The gross earnings were $5,535,000, the net $1,111,000, or less than a quarter of the interest on the bonds. Seven roads, operating 224 miles, do not pay their running expenses. Every mile of the road is covered by nearly $15,000 of stock and $11,000 of bonds. The unpaid and overdue coupons amount to $3,740,000, most of them of recent date.

The often proposed draining of the bed of the Tiber, by diverting a portion of the channel of the river, is likely to be accomplished soon. Many precious objects of art are known to have been buried beneath the muddy waters. Indeed, it was long ago said that the bed of the Tiber was bronze, so thickly was it covered by the treasures that had been thrown or fallen into the stream.

Miniature Calendar.

TOMORROW, THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 26.

Sun rises,	6 h. 36 m.
Sun sets,	5 h. 49 m.
Length of day,	11 h. 11 m.
Moon sets, (A. M.)	4 h. 19 m.

High water, 4 h. 0 m., A. M., 9.6 ft.; 4 h. 32 m., P. M., 9.7 feet.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

—Good rheumatism weather.

—The steamer Empire State is at New York.

—The Martinetti Ravel troup had a full house last night.

—The Newport band has been engaged by the Catholic societies for St. Patrick's Day.

—A number of the street lanterns have been broken within the past week.

—A meeting of the ladies interested in the fair of Aquidneck Engine Co. No. 3 will be held this evening.

—The Rev. W. F. Whitcher, of South Yarmouth, preached at the Thames street M. E. chapel last evening.

—The Redwood band furnished the music for the entertainment at the Opera House last evening.

—United States steamer Mistletoe arrived here yesterday and repaired the machinery of the fog bell on the breakwater.

—Remember the social at Wiggenhauser's Hall tomorrow evening. A good time is expected. Professor Wiegand of the Fort band will be present with an orchestra.

—The schooner Harriet Lewis has been successfully taken on the marine railway at Fall River and after an examination it was thought advisable to repair her.

—Mr. Flagg of the Western Union Telegraph, informs us that at eight o'clock this morning it was snowing hard in New York and the wind was northeast.

—One of our prominent merchants informs us that his sales for the past month exceeded by more than $700 the sales of the corresponding period a year ago.

—Barney Smith has sold to George Denniston, Jr., for $2100 two lots containing about 3400 and 2500 feet of land respectively with buildings on Callender avenue.

—Messrs. Garnier and Ubassy, the noted billiard players, are announced to be in this city next week. They will probably give exhibitions at the Newport Reading Room and at other places in the city.

—Col. John Powel, Lieut. Col. Augustus P. Sherman and Quarter Master G. H. Vaughan were appointed a special committee last evening to go to Providence today and appear before the General Assembly to remonstrate against the revoking of the company's charter. The company held a long and spirited meeting last night.

—We are told by a passenger on the Block Island mail boat that there has a change come over the spirit of the passengers within a short time. Where there formerly profanity was, now there is the singing of hymns and religious conversation. The work among the churches continues with unabated zeal.

—Prof. A. Herriman of Boston is in town and gave the teachers a lesson in the drill of the free hand series of Penmanship. The schools were closed for that purpose from 10 to 12½ m. The superintendent made arrangements for the lesson to be given in the afternoon from three to five but, owing to sickness in the family of Prof. Herriman, the lesson was given in the morning instead.

—A married lady writes to us that last Sunday night she was walking along Thames street with her husband and a lady friend, when she was insulted by four or five young roughs, who had concealed themselves in a dark door way. Our correspondent wishes it distinctly understood that the rowdies who ought to be playing checkers with their noses through a prison grating are not the New York boiler makers, but genuine Newporters, to the manor born, and she wishes to caution all girls to avoid these disreputable fellows.

COL. HIGGINSON HAS A SEVERE ARTICLE IN THE INDEPENDENT, placing the responsibility for the "carpet-baggers" upon the suicidal policy of the defeated secessionists. He declares that a better class of emigrants never went into any Western State than went South. They possessed energy, education and capital, yet their venture was but a waste of time and money and a sacrifice of self respect. Northern gentlemen and ladies going South to reside found themselves as absolutely branded with social ostracism as if they had committed a crime.

A HEAVY SUIT.—The business at the sheriff's office closed up heavily last evening, in the service of a writ against the Narragansett Steamship Company and the Old Colony Railroad in which the damages are laid at seventy five thousand dollars. The service against the steamship company was made by the attachment of the steamers Long Branch and Plymouth Rock, and service against the railroad company was made by summons. The parties plaintiff in the suit are the Boston and Providence Railroad Company, the New York, Providence and Boston Railroad Company, and the Stonington Steamboat Company.

It is highly proper in giving this item to state that this suit grows out of no embarrassment on the part of either of the corporations defendant, but is brought by the corporations plaintiff for alleged breach of a written covenant entered into in the year 1869, by the parties in regard to a certain tariff of freight, and the distribution among the parties according to certain fixed proportions, of surplus moneys arising from the carriage of freight by the two corporations defendant. These two last named alleging that corporations plaintiff have broken the conditions of the covenant, and contending that they are released from all obligation to further observe the term of said contract, while the plaintiffs set up and are endeavering to maintain by this suit a claim against the steamship and Old Colony companies, under the covenant, of an amount of fifty thousand dollars due them. The defendant corporations have retained counsel and a heavy, important and protracted suit will be the result unless a compromise can be reached.

A NEW ROBINSON CRUSOE.—A Robinson Crusoe has lately been discovered on an island in the Danube, under circumstances of peculiar nature. The curé of the Catholic parish of Rustchuk (Pere Hippolyte) on New Year's evening got into a boat rowed by Wallachian ferrymen, to proceed to Giurgevo, on the Roumanian bank of the Danube, where his duties required his presence. The river, says the Pall Mall Gazette, was half frozen over, and the boatmen, owing to the current and the floating ice, found it impossible to advance. By returning to Rustchuk they thought they would probably forfeit the ducat which the curé had promised to pay them, and they conceived the horrible design of landing their passenger upon one of the islands which lie in the middle of the river. They accordingly rowed towards the nearest island, when the priest, imagining he had reached his destination, stopped on shore, paid his fare, and carpet-bag in hand walked away in what he believed to be the direction of Giurgevo. He was not long before he discovered that he was alone on a desert island. It was four o'clock in the afternoon, darkness was deepning round him; he was half paralyzed with cold. His shouts for help died away unheard, and the unfortunate curé prepared to meet his fate with the fortitude of a Christian. In the meantime, however, the governor of Rustchuck was luckily taking a stroll on the banks of the river. While thus engaged his attention was attracted by a dark object moving backwards and forwards on one of the islands, and, prompted by curiosity, he despatched two zaptiehs in a boat to the spot who rescued the priest from his frightful position.

The largest salary to be paid any one base ball player for the coming season is that of Malone of the Chicagos, who will receive $2,200. The total salary lists of the leading clubs are as follows: Chicago, $17,100; Boston, $14,200; Philadelphia, $14,000; Athletic, $13,500. The following are the salaries of the Boston players; George Wright, $1800; H. Wright, $15g0; Barnes, $1500; Spalding, $1500; McVey, $1300; White, $1200; Hall, $1200; Leonard, $1200; Beals, $1000; O'Rourke, $1000; Schafer, $1000.

A good deal has been said about reforming the drama. It is time to say something about reforming the patrons of the drama, many of whom, just as the curtain is ready to fall at the close of the last act, seize their hats and rush for the door as frantically as if they had just received the startling intelligence that the only saloon in the city would be closed for the night in two minutes and a half.

DICKENS AND HIS WIFE.

WHY THEY SEPARATED. A LESSON FOR YOUNG PEOPLE.

Mr. Forster, the friend and biographer, tells the story thus: Despising society, and failing to find in his home those satisfactions which the true home-life demands, a tone of restlessnes, became apparent about 1857. If Dickens had any social tendencies it was for those beneath rather than those above him in life. This is attributed to defects of temperament coming from early trials and successes. Mastering fortune and fame, he did not attain renunciation and self-sacrifice.

Until "Copperfield" was finished his life was in his books. His friendships were with the creatures of his rich and marvelous fancy. Combined with habits of singular provision, method and order, he had an impatience of nature, rushing at enjoyment without counting its cost. After "Copperfield," his imagination seemed to fail, to want a spur. While his subsequent works embodied creations of character and humor as fine as any in his earlier days—Marigold, Lirriper, Pip—he had lost the old free and fertile method. So as Mr. Forster noted, there came from time to time intervals of unusual impatience and restlessness, strange to see in connection with his home. Old pursuits were laid aside for new occupations and excitements—political addresses, private theatricals, readings, "strollings, wandering ways," a craving to find some means by which life might become easier.

This craving called from Forster the remonstrance of friendship, and to one of these entreaties we find Dickens, in 1857, saying, sadly, "I have no relief but in action. I am becoming incapable of rest. I should rest, break and die if I spared myself. Much better to die doing." Other letters breathe strange yearnings. At one time he wishes to live in the Pyrenees for six months Then he has an idea of living in Switzerland, above the snow line, in "some astonishing convent": "Am altogether in a dishevelled state of mind—motes of new books in the dirty, dirty air." "Why is it," he cries, "that a sense comes always crushing on me, as of one happiness I have missed in life and one friend and companion I have never made?" Again the "serious idea" of a winter on the top of Mount St. Bernard with the monks and dogs for a whole winter. Another time his fancy flies to Australia, only he will finish "Little Dorrit," before leaving. "The old days! the old days!" he moans, shall I ever. I wonder, get the frame of mind back as it used to be then?" "I feel that the skeleton in my domestic closet is a pretty big one."

Then came the sorrowful avowal—not altogether unexpected, says Mr. Forster, but "a great shock nevertheless." "Poor Catherine," writes Dickens—Catherine being his wife—"and I are not made for each other, and there is no help for it. It is not only that she makes me uneasy and unhappy; but that I make her so, too, and much more so. She is exactly what you know in the way of being amiable and complying; but we are strangely assorted for the bond there is between us. God knows she would have been a thousand times happier if she had married another kind of man, and that her avoidance of this destiny would have been at least equally good for us both. I am often cut to the heart by thinking what a pity it is, for her sake, that I ever fell in her way." "Nothing on earth could make her understand me, or suit us to each other. Her temperament will not go with mine." "What is now befalling me I have seen steadily coming since Mary was born, and I know too well that you cannot, and no one can, help me." Again another letter; "The years have not made it easier to bear for either of us; and, for her sake, as well as mine, the wish will force itself upon me that something might be done." And again; "I claim no immunity from blame. There is plenty of fault on my side, I dare say, in the way of a thousand uncertainties, caprices and difficulties of disposition: but only one thing will alter all that, and that is the end which alters everything."

This was in 1857. In 1857 Mr. Dickens and his wife lived apart. "The eldest son went with his mother, Dickens at once giving effect to her expressed wish in this respect; and the other children remained with himself, their intercourse with Mrs. Dickens being left entirely to themselves." They never met during the remainder of their lives. She had lived with him a quarter of a century and borne him ten children. She was the wife of his youth and his fame. Before he died he coldly wrote these words about her in his will: "I desire here simply to record the fact that my wife, since her separation by consent, has been in the receipt from me of an annual income of £600, while all the great charges of a numerous and expensive family have devolved wholly upon myself." The man who dismissed his wife and who wrote these words was the creator of Agnes, and the sweet, beautiful story of love and devotion which that fanciful life contained. It is not for us to look deeply into the hearts of men like Dickens and Byron or Shakspeare—but rather to take from their lives the inspiration of genius. But this narrative, even as Mr. Forster tells it, is a sad story of impulse and selfishness, and it so darkens the character of Dickens that we turn from the contemplation with bitter, bitter sorrow.

THE PEN AND THE HEART.

SOME THOUGHTS SUGGESTED BY DICKENS'S DOMESTIC INFELICITY. IS THE PURSUIT OF LITERATURE INCONSISTENT WITH DOMESTIC HAPPINESS?

[From the New York Herald.]

The reserve with which Mr. Foster treats the domestic relations of Dickens leaves the field open to every variety of speculation. We presume that the whole question will pass into literary history as a cause célèbre, to become the topic of endless treatises and discussions, like the Man in the Iron Mask, the insanity of Burke, the authorship of Junius, the reasons for the separation of Byron from his wife, the true relation between Swift and Stella, Addison's peace of mind after his marriage with a countess, and the cause of Shakespeare's leaving his wife his second-best bed.

We have a whole literature of the calamities of authors, going back to the time of Socrates and Job. Dickens only adds a new chapter to it, new and deeply interesting to us because of his wonderful personality. Authors of renown have left their wives without exciting much interest in the world. Bulwer is a famous example, especially as Lady Bulwer wrote novels about her husband satirizing him. But Bulwer held no such personal influence over the people as to make his domestic experience at all a matter of common interest. Nor did he, like Dickens, call upon mankind to judge between him and his wife, and cruelly stamp upon her in his will. These are reasons which make the case of Dickens peculiarly interesting to us as a social question, and it would be an immense relief to be able to accept as an excuse that given by our critic—namely, that Dickens was insane.

There is another question about which much has been spoken and written, and a great deal more thought—namely, "Is the literary character suited to the domestic sphere?" History is filled with so many ruins of the hearths and homes of literary men that prudent fathers would do well to give their daughters to men who, like Jack Cade, could neither read nor write, and held scholarship to be an abomination and a sin.

It is not possible that literature is a mistress so jealous that she will not respect the bond of the altar? Does not the dreaming, fanciful writer fashion an ideal mistress so ethereal and perfect, such "a phantom of delight," as Wordsworth says, that the most admirable wife in the world would become a disappointment? Why do we see marriages like those of Göthe and Scott and Johnson and Burns—convenient enough in board and lodging, but imperfect and unsatisfactory? May it not be that marriage in these cases came from impulse and not deliberation? Certainly, so far as temperament and appreciation go, these great men were as illy mated as Dickens. The difference is that what they accepted as a bond, and the most sacred bond that can exist between two of God's creatures, they legally regarded as a duty, and obeyed to the end.

A CHEAP SHELTER FOR CATTLE.—Take posts, ten feet long—black locust cedar, or split white oak will answer; put them two feet in the ground, that the shelter be twenty five feet by twenty three posts on the side, or eight posts in all. Put on the plates two by six inches, also one through the centre to avoid spreading, then put up the rafters and nail on the boards, plank up north and west sides, leaving south and east open. For a rack under the shelter, take a log, from one and a half to two feet in diameter, place it through the centre of the shelter, about two feet from the ground, leaving a space of four feet at the west side (or one of the sides which is planked up), so that the cattle may pass round the rack; take a two inch auger, bore holes on each side of the log, about eight inches apart; sharpen one end of rails or poles, and drive them into the holes; there should be a slat nailed across at top for the upper end of the rails to rest upon. This is a cheap, convenient shelter, and the rack will hold a ton of hay or straw, and at the same time the shelter will house nearly as many cattle as if the rack were not in it. Every farmer needs shelter for stock. Try this plan.

DIED.

PIKE.—In Boston, 24th inst., Mrs Aggie R. Pike, in the 23d year of her age.
The funeral will take place from the residence of Mrs. Thomas Sweet, corner Second and Pine streets, tomorrow (Thursday) afternoon, at 2 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

MICHEL.—In this city, 16th inst., Abby A., wife of Jesse D. Michel, and daughter of Mary Dowick, aged 18 years and 11 months.

CONERY.—In Bristol, 18th inst., Catherine, daughter of John and Elizabeth Conery, aged 1 year and 11 months.

McCAW.—In Bristol, 22d inst., Mrs. Matilda McCaw, wife of William McCaw, aged 44 years.

A Card.—Always a trump card is Williams' Extract Jamaica Ginger.

The Cant of Impostors.

It is so obvious that physical and constitutional vigor is the best defense against disease that even the venders of drastic purgatives advertise them as tonics, stomachics and invigorants, in the hope of enlisting the confidence of the public in the devitalizing and pernicious potions. It is amusing to note how these impostors imitate and copy the language in which the medicinal properties of Hostetter's Stomach Bitters are described. Although the effect of their rasping evacuants is to destroy the tone of digestive organs and the bowels, and to rob the system of its vital strength, they are unscrupulously recommended to the weak and prostrate victims of disease as stimulants! It is time this humbug (not a very successful one it is true, thanks to the mature common sense of the American people) was stigmatized as it deserves. Such mischievous falsehoods should be exposed pro bono publico. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, be it distinctly understood, is a stimulant. It has a spirituous basis, and that basis is the vehicle which diffuses its wonderful sanitary principles through every part of the system. The tonic, alterative and regulating ingredients of the Bitters would be comparatively inert if they were not, so to speak, carried to the localities where they are required by the stimulating agent. The cant which protests against the use of a pure alcoholic fluid, when employed as a means of giving full effect to medicinal extracts of the highest utility, is the cant of charlatanism. Every intelligent physician so characterizes it, and the sick who are griped, convulsed and debilitated by the nauseous and disgusting nostrums of the parties who put it forth, soon find to their sorrow that it is a delusion and a snare. Hostetter's Bitters, the great sanitary stimulant of the age, is, in the truest sense of the words, a wholesome, vitalizing, renovating preparation.

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WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY, 25, 1874.

GENERAL NEWS.

FROM WASHINGTON.

Ocean Routes.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 24.—The ocean travelling public will be interested to learn that Congressional legislation is likely to be had in behalf of fixed steamer lines on the Atlantic. The necessity for accord between the great transatlantic passenger steamship lines as to their routes to and fro has become apparent to the people, and it is no less the interest of the companies than of humanity and commerce that the proposed safety tracks be universally adopted.

The Army Appropriation Bill.

The Senate committee on appropriations today continued the consideration of the army appropriation bill, and the discussion of the propriety of concurrence in the sections which propose to transfer to the Southern claims commission all claims from citizens of the loyal states now pending in the quartermaster's and commissary departments. Judge Aldis, president of the commission, advocated the transfer, provided that two additional members of the commission be appointed to do the proposed additional work.

NEW YORK.

Ecclesiastical.

NEW YORK, Feb. 24.—The Church of the Pilgrims has decided, in conjunction with the Clinton avenue Church, to summon a conference to which the alleged breach of discipline of Plymouth Church may be referred.

The Strike.

The cap makers' strike is almost at an end. An agreement between the employers and employes has been perfected and the strikers were to resume work yesterday, but the fact of its being a holiday interfered with any general action. Work in nearly all of the manufactories will be begun today.

Inflation.

The Tribune has an interesting communication from Washington giving the substance of interviews with every United States Senator on the subject of currency inflation. The writer professes to have an accurate statement of the views of every Senator, and makes out a clear majority of eight or ten in favor of some form or other of inflation.

The Whiskey War Swinging Around the Circle.

The whiskey war has not only reached East Tennessee, but it first broke out in Andrew Johnson's town of Greenville. The praying band works away in front of the saloon from sunrise till sunset, and every man is asked to sign the pledge. The ex-President will be compelled to face the music. The spirit of reform is deepening and spreading, and the force of the great wave of popular sentiment is unabated.

The Temperance Question in New York.

The temperance women, yesterday, were busy getting ready for the war on the liquor sellers in New York. Prayers were offered in private, and pledges were circulated in public, but no saloons were visited. An effort was made Saturday to introduce temperance pledges on all the outward bound trains on the Long Island Railroad, but only partial success was achieved. Over forty names were added to the pledge. In a number of depots pledges have been posted up, and are generally signed.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Fire in Providence.

PROVIDENCE, R. I, Feb. 24.—Fire broke out this morning in the large wooden building owned by Mrs. Sarah B. Slocum, and occupied by S. H. Knight & Co., tortoise shell jewelry; Graham & Bride, plate jewelry; M. T. Quinby & Co., jewelers; Atwater & Dennis and J. A. Thayer, pattern makers. Loss on building estimated at $2000; insured for $6000. Loss on stock and machinery, $15,000; insured for $14,300.

Washington's Birthday at St. Petersburg.

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 24.—United States Minister Jewell gave a grand fete at the legation last night in honor of Washington's birthday. It was attended by all the diplomatists, a number of Americans, and others. After proper respect was paid to the memory of Washington, toasts were given to the Czar and President Grant, and were appropriately responded to. Later there was dancing, which continued till morning.

Pension to Livingstone's Children.

LONDON, Feb. 24.—Sir Bartle Frere, at a meeting of the Royal Geographical Society last evening, stated that after a conference with Mr. Kerk he has come to the conclusion that the report of Mr. Livingstone's death was true. The queen, at the recommendation of Mr. Gladstone, has granted a pension of $1000 per annum to the children of Mr. Livingstone.

A Naval Bill Signed.

The President today signed the act to change the title of first assistant-engineer and second assistant-engineer in the navy to past assistant and assistant-engineer respectively, and also providing that the course of instruction at the naval academy for cadet engineer shall be four years instead of two.

The Floating Fishermen.

DETROIT, Feb. 24.—It is now probable that all the fishermen on the floating ice in Saginaw bay will reach land in safety. Two hundred reached shore last night. The others who were on another field have been driven to the west shore by the change of the wind, so they probably can land easily. The report that Smith and Perrier were drowned is not true.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

JANUARY SESSION AT PROVIDENCE.

TUESDAY, February 24.

The senate met at 11 o'clock, Governor Howard in the chair.

The governor presented a communication from the executive department of New York containing a code of regulations adopted by the governor in reference to applications for requisition and mandates upon requisitions.

The governor spoke in favor of the adoption of such a code in this state. He said he had become satisfied from his limited experience that there should be rules and regulations governing these matters. And he hoped the matter would be referred to the committee on the judiciary for their examination, and for them to decide whether or not some legislation is not needed. The communication was referred to the committee on the judiciary.

The special order of the day, an act in amendment of chapters 35 and 296, of the general statutes, "Of the revenue of the state," was called from the table, and continued to be made the special order of Thursday next.

It was voted to reconsider the passage of the act in amendment to chapter 185 of the general statutes, increasing the jurisdiction of justice courts to cases involving $300, on motion of Mr. Powel of Newport, who made the motion out of courtesy to Mr. Cross of Westerly, who was not present Friday when the act was passed, and wished to have it reconsidered.

After a brief discussion, it was voted to make the act the subject of special consideration Friday next.

The senate adjourned to Wednesday, on motion of Mr. Cross, of Westerly.

House.

The house met as per adjournment, Mr. Speaker Metcalf in the chair.

Mr. Pratt, of Newport, offered a resolution inviting the governor, and the senate to join the house in grand committee, at 12 o'clock today, for the purpose of electing a major general, a brigadier general of the second brigade, and other military officers.

Mr. Spencer, of Providence, moved to amend by fixing the time tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock, which was accepted.

Mr. Clarke, of South Kingstown, moved to amend so as to elect justices of the peace and notories public, saying there were some now in the state who have not yet been elected to those offices. This amendment was also accepted, and the resolution as amended was passed.

Mr. Miller, of Providence, in accordance with previous notice, introduced an act in amendment of chapter 149, title XX, of the general statutes, "of marriage," which was received, read, passed to a second reading, and referred to the committee on the judiciary. The act provides that no minister, elder or magistrate shall join any person in marriage unless such persons previous thereto deliver to such minister, elder or magistrate a certificate from the town clerk of the town when such marriage is to be celebrated setting forth the names and surnames of the parties, the age, color, occupation, birthplace and residence of each, whether either or both have been before married, and if before married whether the marriage intended is the first, second, third or other marriage, and the names, occupation and birthplace of each of their parents.

Mr. Perkins, of South Kingstown, presented the remonstrance of James Dawley and others against making a road across the cove near Wickford, which was received and referred to the committee on the judiciary.

Mr. Dixon, of Westerly, called from the table the act in amendment of the charter of the Boston, Newport and New York Steamboat Company allowing the company to issue $750,000 in preferred stock, and allowing the Old Colony Railroad Company to subscribe for and hold stock in the company to an amount not exceeding $1,000,000, and on motion of Mr. Dixon, the act was read and passed.

The house then adjourned till to-morrow morning at 11 o'clock.

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Insurance Statements.

Annual Statement

OF THE STAR FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1873, as made to the Insurance Commissioner of the state of Rhode Island:

CAPITAL.	
Capital Stock, paid up in cash,	$200,000 00
ASSETS.	
First Mortgage Loans on Real Estate,	180,325 00
Interest accrued thereon,	2,666 13
United States Bonds, market value,	11,500 00
Amount loaned, Stocks, Bonds, &c., being held as collateral security for the same,	104,000 00
Interest due and accrued thereon,	488 91
Cash in office and deposited in banks,	41,392 88
Gross Premiums in course of collection,	15,895 02
All other Property belonging to Company,	2,500 00
Aggregate amount of assets,	$561,695 94
LIABILITIES.	
Amount of unpaid Losses,	$10,792 12
Amount required to safely reinsure all outstanding Risks,	115,925 81
Other expenses,	833 33
Brokerage, return premiums, &c.,	1,[illegible] 24
Capital paid up in cash,	200,000 00
Surplus as regards Policy Holders,	32,893 44
Aggregate amount of Liabilities,	$301,695 94
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Amount of Fire Risks in force,	$21,155,976 00
Amount of Premiums thereon,	231,001 19

NICHOLAS C. MILLER, President.

JAMES M. HODGES, Secretary.

A. S. SHERMAN, Agent for Newport.

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Annual Statement

OF THE STANDARD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, of New York, on the 31st day of December, 1873, as made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Rhode Island:

CAPITAL.	
Capital stock paid up in cash,	$200,000 00
ASSETS.	
First mortgage loans on real estate,	$55,400 00
Interest accrued thereon,	981 49
United States bonds, market value,	228,000 00
Amount loaned, stocks, bonds, &c., held as collateral security for the same,	16,500 00
Interest due and accrued on same,	96 25
Cash deposited in banks,	14,124 65
Gross premiums in course of collection,	11,874 67
Aggregate amount of assets,	$326,377 06
LIABILITIES.	
Amount of unpaid losses,	$3,219 75
Amount required to safely reinsure all outstanding risks,	63,891 10
Due and to become due for borrowed money,	1,124 26
All other demands against the Company,	1,801 87
Capital paid up in cash,	200,000 00
Surplus as regards policy holders,	56,279 38
Aggregate amount of liabilities,	$326,377 06
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Amount of fire risks in force,	$13,040,722 05
Amount of premium thereon,	125,253 01

WILLIAM CHIPPS, President.

WM. M. ST. JOHN, Secretary.

A. S. SHERMAN, Agent for Newport.

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Condition.

OF THE NIAGARA FIRE INSURANCE CO. of New York, Dec, 31, 1873.

ASSETS.		
Cash in bank and in hands of agents,		$63,195 00
United States Bonds,	$631,000 00	
Premium on same,	92,780 00	723,780 00
Loans on Bond and Mortgage,	133,500 00	
Interest on same,	4,672 00	138,172 00
Loans, secured by available Collaterals,	238,300 00	
Interest on same,	7,537 00	245,837 00
New York City Bonds, par		26,000 00
Brooklyn City Bonds, par		2,000 00
Tennessee and Alabama State Bonds, Market value,		25,00 000
Real Estate unincumbered leasehold,		14,300 00
December premiums in course of collection,		75,000
		$1,368,224 00
LIABILITIES.		
Dividends declared unpaid	1,102 00	
Fire losses, including all claims,	87,200 00	82,302 00
		$1,225,922 00
ASSETS OVER LIABILITIES.		
Capital stock,	$500,000	
Reinsurance fund,	400,000	900,000 00
Net surplus over capital stock and reinsurance fund.		$325,922 00

H. A. HOWE, President.

P. NATMAN, V. P. & Sec'y.

A. S. SHERMAN, Agent for Newport.

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Annual Statement

OF THE GERMANIA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY of New York, office, No. 176 Broadway! January 1st, 1874.

Capital stock, cash,	$500,000 00
ASSETS.	
Cash on hand and in Bank,	$77,659 99
Cash in hand of Agents and in course of transmission,	77,688 05
Real Estate,	45,305 05
Loans secured by Bonds and Mortgage,	484,400 00
Temporary loans secured by collaterals,	54,500 00
Stocks owned (principally U. S. 6-20),	483,857 50
Interest Accrued,	11,634 88
Uncollected Premiums,	9,350 19
Other Property—Miscellaneous Items,	11,774 78
	$1,250,161 93
LIABILITIES.	
Losses in course of adjustment,	$57,246 53

RUDOLPH GARRIGUE, President.

JOHN EDW. KAHL, Vice President.

HUGO SCHUMANN, Secretary.

A. S. SHERMAN, Agent Newport.

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Annual Statement

OF THE CONDITION of the HARTFORD FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Hartford, Ct., for the year ending December 31st, 1873:

CAPITAL.	
Whole amount of capital actually paid up in cash,	$1,000,000 00
ASSETS.	
Value of real estate owned by the Company,	$448,175 50
Loans on bond and mortgage,	863,250 00
Interest due on all said bond and mortgage loans,	12,921 62
National bank stock, market value,	704,996 11
Railroad stock, do do	63,700 00
Railroad bonds, do do	60,200 00
State bonds, do do	46,750 00
Memphis City bonds, do do	1,165 00
Toledo Water Works bonds,	5,000 00
U. S. registered and coupon bonds,	72,952 50
Connecticut River Co. stock,	8,000 00
Cash in company's principal office and deposited in banks,	171,662 55
Interest due and accrued on stocks and bonds, not included in market value,	4,460 00
Gross premiums in due course of collection, including agency balances,	361,089 20
Bills receivable (other than those taken for premiums,)	3,025 70
State tax due from non-resident stockholders,	4,906 55
Rents due and accrued,	1,562 28
Aggregate amount of all the assets of the Company, actual value,	$2,418,707 80
LIABILITIES.	
Net amount of unpaid losses,	$186,959 47
Amount required to safely reinsure all outstanding risks,	1,020,851 15
Cash dividends to stockholders remaining unpaid,	500 00
Capital stock actually paid up in cash,	1,000,000 00
Surplus beyond capital as regards policy holders,	201,396 68
Aggregate amount of all liabilities, including paid up capital stock,	$2,418,707 80

GEORGE L. CHASE, President.

J. D. BROWNE, Secretary.

Subscribed and sworn to before me, this 8th day of January, 1874. GEORGE HUMMEL, Notary Public.

L. B. DAVIS, Agent and Attorney.

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At WIGGENHAUSERS' HALL, Levin St.,

On Thursday Ev'g, Feb. 26.

PRINTERS' The Printers' Typographical Club of this city will give their First Grand Social on Feb. 26. TICKETS 75 CENTS admitting gentleman & ladies. SOCIAL!

Music by the Fort Orchestra. Only a limited number of tickets sold, to be had of S. A. Bates, E. Goffe, newsdealer, C. G. Handy & Co., and at W. Rutherford's Fruit Store. feb23-2t

A GRAND BALL

Will be given by

Hercules Steam Fire Engine Co. No. 7,

AT THE ACADEMY OF MUSIC,

WEDNESDAY EV'G, FEB. 25.

Committee of Arrangements—

Capt. John Lake, 1st Asst. D. J. Scott,
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C. Dolan, W. Allan.

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Tickets $1, admitting gentlemen and ladies, to be had of members of the company.

Music by Prof. Wiegand's Orchestra.

Visiting Firemen are requested to appear in Uniform. feb23-3t

TO ALL HONORABLY DISCHARGED SOLDIERS AND SAILORS OF THE UNITED STATES SERVICE.

YOU are cordially invited to a camp fire under the auspices of Stevens Post No. 2, G. A. R., at the Armory of the Newport Light Infantry, on Thursday evening, 26th inst., commencing at 7.45.

Per order of the Committee. feb21-5t

Boots & Shoes.

February Sales

CONTINUE through the month. Boots and Shoes selling at very low prices for cash, at

feb12 J. M. SWAN, 100 Thames street.

Special Notice.

MY ANNUAL SALE OF SHOP-WORN

BOOTS AND SHOES,

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A. C. TITUS,
T. W. EMERSON, } feb11

Notices.

Notice.

ALL ladies interested in the Fair of the Aquidneck Engine Co. are requested to meet at the hall of the company, tomorrow evening, February 25, at eight o'clock. Per order of the Committee,

MRS. JULIUS SAYER, Vice President.

Any contribution for the Fair may be left at W. H. Westcott's, or Mrs. J. E. Boyle's, corner of Spring and Touro streets. feb24-2t

ODD FELLOWS BENEFICIAL ASSOCIATION.

BY the death of Brother Walter M. Scott, of Roger Williams Lodge No. 3. An assessment of $1.00 is now due and payable to CHARLES CHAMBERS, within fifteen days from date hereof.

WM. R. DUTEMPLE, President.

STEPHEN SMITH, Secretary.

Providence, February 19, 1874. feb21-10t

NOTICE!

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JOHN ELDRED,
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January Bills.

OUR bills will all be ready for settlement on the 1st of January. All bills remaining unsettled on the third, will be presented and immediate payments expected. J. M. & G. H. POPPLE.

December 29, 1873.

Real Estate.

Hazard, Ford & Co., Real Estate Brokers.

Offer for sale—Villas and Cottages by the side, on the principal avenues, and in suburbs at prices ranging from $3,000 to and with lots containing from 5,000 square feet to acres. Many of these are bargains.

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Also—To let for the season—A few cottages in town and four of the most desirable country places at moderate prices.

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FOR SALE.—House and lot on Poplar street for twenty-five hundred dollars. Apply to ALFRED SMITH & SONS. feb21

TO LET.—A good double tenement house, on Prospect Hill street. Apply to JOHN FADDEN. feb10-tf

TO LET.—A tenement on Tanner street. Apply to ALFRED SMITH & SONS. feb10

TO LET.—A small House with three acres of garden and meadow land within the city limits. Apply to JOHN B. DENNIS, Broad street. feb9-tf

PRICE REDUCED.—The C. K. Johnson cottage on Broad street near Bliss road will be sold for $7000 instead of the old price if the bargain is closed soon. L. D. DAVIS, Agt.

FOR SALE.—Dwelling house with modern improvements, Spring street. Apply to L. D. DAVIS. m23

ROOMS TO LET.—Two pleasant rooms suitable for offices or studios, in Cottrell's Block, two doors south of Post Office.

TO LET.—Tenement on Oak street for eight dollars per month. Apply to ALFRED SMITH & SONS. jan27

FOR SALE.—A new house on the Cliffs one of the finest summer residences in the city.

Also a large lot on Bath Road, opposite the estate of J. Winthrop Chandler. If desired will be divided into two lots. L. D. DAVIS. je4

FOR SALE.—The Johnson Cottage, formerly owned by Thos. Coggeshall, on Broad street, containing 20,000 feet of land, with 100 grape vines, 100 pear trees, 200 berry vines and other fruit. Will be sold very cheap. L. D. DAVIS. jy18

FOR SALE.—A house lot on the hill, near All Saints Chapel. Price 50 cents a foot. Also one at 75 cents. L. D. DAVIS jy8

TO LET.—Cottage on Edgar Court, near the Bath Road. Possession on March 1st. Apply to ALFRED SMITH & SONS. feb4

FOR SALE. House and Lot on Dixon street for eighteen hundred dollars. Apply to ALFRED SMITH & SONS. jan14

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feb21 Newport, R. I.

Annual Statement.

OF THE AMERICAN BRANCH of the SCOTTISH COMMERCIAL FIRE AND LIFE INSURANCE COMPANY, of Glasgow, Scotland, on the 31st day of December, 1873, as made to the Insurance Commissioner of the State of Rhode Island.

CAPITAL.	
Whole amount of Joint Stock of Guarantee Capital authorized,	$5,000,000 00
ASSETS.	
United States Bonds, market value,	$386,264 25
Cash in office and deposited in bank,	6,724 88
Gross Premiums in course of collection,	23,024 77
Aggregate Amount of Assets,	$416,355 90
LIABILITIES.	
Amount of Unpaid Losses,	$5,978 73
Amount required to safely reinsure all outstanding Risks,	74,164 21
Due and accrued for Salaries, Rent, &c.,	8,929 71
All other demands,	1,184 34
Aggregate Amount of Liabilities,	$90,257 03
MISCELLANEOUS.	
Amount of Fire Risks in force,	$13,401,752 03
Amount of Premiums thereon,	148,846 27

JAMES M. HANKIN, Resident Manager.

L. B. DAVIS, Agent for Newport County. feb13

WE SELL

Good Mixed Tea, 30c. per lb., 4 lbs. for $1.00.

Good Japan Oolong and Mixed Tea 50c. per lb.

Coffee, 13c. per lb., 8 lbs. for $2.00.

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Good Flour, $6.25 per Bag.

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Extract Lemon and Vanilla, 15c. per Bottle.

Jellies in Tumblers, 15c. each.

Jellies in Wine Glasses, 15c. each.

Jellies in Goblets, 25c. each.

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Mixed Candy, Gum Drops and Chocolate Creams, 25c. per lb.

A Large Assortment of Canned Goods,

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Newport Daily News.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY, 26, 1874.

DWARF PEAR TREE.—You will find on examining your dwarf pear trees that they are not probably making as strong a growth as may be necessary for their best success and for the finest fruit. Now is a very suitable time to enrich the soil over the roots by applying a good top dressing of stable yard manure. Do not heap it in a pile at the foot of the stem, but spread it broadcast in a wide circle, so that the long roots may get the benefit to their very tips. The rains and melting snow will dissolve much of the manure and carry it down into the soil among the roots, and give the trees a new start. Next Spring the part which remains on the surface may be lightly spaded in, or if an orchard, it may be worked in with a light plow, cultivator or harrow.

AN ODD RACE.—The Duc de Feltre has just won by a neck an extraordinary wager. He backed himself to drive his trotter in a light carriage to Lyons before the Comte Philippe de Nevule would reach the place on his velocipede. The distance was 856 kilometres, or 522 1-2 miles, which was run in 60½ hours, and was won by a neck by the Duc de Feltre, who drove into the courtyard of the Grand Hotel at Lyons just two minutes before the comte rattled in on his velocipede. The first day's journey was 80 kilometres, or 50 miles; the second was 104 (65 miles), and the last day both competitors ran 172 kilometres, or 107 miles. Neither the horse nor the man seemed much beat by the long race, and the comte is still so confident that he offers to back himself for a thousand louis over the same course again.

DON'T SELL THE PELTS.—The skin of an animal, whether cow, calf, colt or horse, that dies on the farm is worth more at home than at the tanner's. Cut it into narrow strips, and shave off the hair with a sharp knife before the kitchen fire, or in your workshop on stormy days and evenings. You may make them soft by rubbing. A rawhide halter strap an inch wide will hold a horse better and last longer than an inch rope. It is stronger than hoopiron and more durable, and may be used to hoop dry casks and boxes, and for hinges. Try it on a broken thill, or any wood work that has been split. Put it on wet and nail fast. Thin skins make the best to use it in its natural state. For other purposes it may be dressed.

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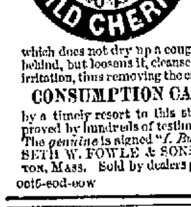

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PROVIDENCE MUTUAL

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INCORPORATED A. D. 1800

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Amount Insured over........$17,000,000

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Frederick Fuller.

GEO. BAKER, President and Treasurer.
JOSEPH T. SNOW, Secretary,
HENRY R. BARKER, Assistant Secretary.
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Statement

OF THE TIVERTON AND LITTLE COMPTON MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY OF TIVERTON AND LITTLE COMPTON, R. I., ON THE 31st DAY OF DECEMBER, 1873:

Incorporated 1865.

ASSETS:

Amount of cash on hand and deposited in Bank	$2,500,00
Amount of cash in hand of Treasurer	558,14
Amount assessable on Premium Notes or otherwise	47,031,91
Amount of other property consisting of Iron Safe, &c.,	125,00
Total Assets,	$50,215,05

LIABILITIES:

Amount of cash required to safely reinsure all outstanding risks, on the basis of 50 per cent, on unexpired premiums	$1,178,11

MISCELLANEOUS:

1. The largest amount insured in any one risk	$4,000,00
2. Amount of fire risks outstanding	479,408,75
3. Amount of Premiums thereon	1,956,22
4. Amount of Assessment authorized by the Charter, if necessary to pay losses	47,061,91
5. Amount of risks in force having less than one year to run	[illegible],700,00
6. Amount of risks in force having more than one and not over three years to run	240,127,75
7. Amount of risks having more than three years to run	189,559,00

Little Compton, Dec. 31st, 1873.

ISAAC B. RICHMOND, President.
PRESTON B. RICHMOND, Secretary.
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(Chartered 1819)

No. 194 Thames Street, Newport, R. I.

ASSETS, JAN. 15, 1840,	-	$ 77,522 10
do " 15, 1850,	-	139,661 97
do " 15, 1860,	-	795,751 81
do JUNE 24, 1873,	-	3,537,048 63
do JAN. 1, 1874,	-	3,689,115 19

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In Rooms of the Rhode Island National Bank.

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DIVIDENDS JUNE AND DECEMBER.

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OPENED on Saturday a new lot of Sacks, Dolman pattern, also Water Proof Cloaks, and a fresh lot of Trimmings, Buttons, &c., &c., at the usual prices. WM. C. COZZENS & CO., No. 74 Thames street

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Weather Strips!

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Miscellaneous.

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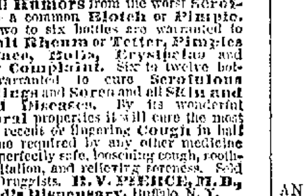

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Black and Colored Silks, choice styles, shades and makes.

Black and Colored Dress Goods,
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$500 Reward is hereby offered by the proprietor of these Pellets, to any chemist who, upon analysis, will find in them any Calomel or other forms of mercury or any other mineral poison.

Being entirely vegetable, no particular care is required while using them. They operate without disturbance to the constitution, diet, or occupation. For Jaundice, Headache, Constipation, Impure Blood, Pain in the Shoulders, Tightness in Chest, Dizziness, Sour Eructations of the Stomach, Bad taste in mouth, Bilious attacks, Pains in region of Kidneys, Internal Fever, Bloated feeling about Stomach, Rush of Blood to Head, High Colored Urine, Unsociability and Gloomy Forebodings, take Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Purgative Pellets. In explanation of the remedial power of my Purgative Pellets over so great a variety of diseases, I wish to say that their action upon the animal economy is universal, not a gland or tissue escaping their sanative impress. Age does not impair them; their sugar-coating and being enclosed in glass vials preserve their virtues unimpaired for any length of time, in any climate, so that they are always fresh and reliable, which is not the case with the pills found in the drug stores, put up in cheap wood or paste-board boxes. Recollect that for all diseases where a Laxative, Alterative or Purgative is indicated, these little Pellets will give the most perfect satisfaction to all who use them.

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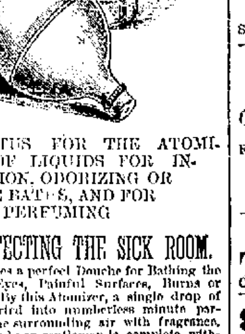

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PAWTUCKET, R. I.

DIVIDEND NOTICE.

THE usual dividend of Eight per cent. per annum will be paid to depositors on and after January 19, 1874. All deposits on or before that date will draw interest from January 1.

OLNEY ARNOLD, Treasurer,

Pawtucket, R. I., Jan. 1, 1874. jan13-3t

Travelers' Directory.

American Steamboat Co

NEWPORT AND PROVIDENCE.

WINTER ARRANGEMENT

To commence Saturday, Nov. 1st, '73.

On and after SATURDAY, Nov. 1st, 1873, and until further notice, the steamer "CITY OF NEWPORT" will leave Newport for Providence at 8 a. m., daily, (Sundays excepted). Will leave Providence for Newport at 3 p. m.

Fare 75 cents each way.

oc31 F. MAURAN, Superintendent

Newport and Providence.

Via Old Colony & Newport with Fall River Warren & Providence Railroad.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, June 3, 1872, trains will run as follows: Leave Newport for Providence 7:20 a m and 3:45 p m. Leave Providence for Newport, 7:15 a m and 4:30 p m. Leave Fall River for Warren and Providence, 7:10 and 8:50 a m and 2:13, 4:30 p m. Leave Fall River for Bristol, 7:25 a m and 4:16 p m. Leave Providence for Fall River, 7 15 a m and 1:00, 4:30, 6:30 p m. Trains arrive at Providence from Newport, 10:03 a m and 5:33 p m. Trains arrive at Newport from Providence, 11:15 a m and 7:15 p m. N. L. Barrus, Supt. je5

Jamestown and Newport Steam Ferry.

TIME TABLE:

ON and after Friday December 12 1873, and until further notice steamer JAMESTOWN will run between Jamestown and Newport, touching at Fort Adams, as follows: Leave Jamestown, 6.30, 8.45, 9.15 a. m., 1, 4.30 p. m. Leave Newport, from Ferry wharf, 7, 9.15 11.30, a. m. 3 and 5 p. m., or on arrival of Providence boat.

SUNDAYS,

Leave Jamestown, 9 a. m., and 4 p. m.
Leave Newport, 10 a. m., and 5 p. m.
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Newport to New York.

CABIN $4.00. DECK $3.00.

The Narragansett Steamship Co.'s first-class steamers OLD COLONY, Commander B. M. Simmons, and NEWPORT, Commander A. G. Simmons, will leave Newport on alternate days, (Sundays excepted).

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J. B. BRAYTON, Agent.

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Old Colony Railroad.

Winter Arrangement.

ON AND AFTER DEC. 8th, 1873, trains will run as follows:

Trains leave Newport for Boston, Portsmouth Grove, Bristol Ferry, Coal Mines, Tiverton, Fall River, Bowenville, Weir Junction, Taunton, No. Easton, So. Braintree, 7.15 a. m., and 2.50 p. m.
Trains leave for Myricks, Middleboro', Cape Cod and Fairhaven, at 2.50 p. m.
Trains leave for New Bedford, at 7.15 a. m., and 2.50 p. m.
Trains leave for Providence, at 7.15 a. m., and 2.50 p. m.
Trains leave Boston, at 8.45 a. m., and 4.30 p. m.
Trains leave So. Braintree, at 9.26 a. m., and 4.58 p. m.
Trains leave N. Easton, at 9.55 a. m., and 5.25 p.m.
Trains leave Taunton, at 10.22 a. m., and 5.51 p.m.
Trains leave Weir Junction, at 10.25 a. m., and 5.55 p. m.
Trains leave Somerset, at 10.50 a. m., and 6.19 p.m.
Trains leave Bowenville, at 11.02 a. m., and 6.30 p. m.
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Trains leave Middleboro', at 9.40 a. m., and 5.22 p. m.
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